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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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Part B for February 1919

SUBJECT.

Rules under Sec. 37 (a) of the Mysore Local Boards and Village Panchayats Regulation, 1918.

To the Compiler, Mysore Gazette R. 7557 Dt 18/12/18.
Publishes the rules relating to the constitution
of Local Bds &c under Sec 37 (a) of the Local Boards
and Village Panchayats Regulation.
145 To the Compiler. Gen. 10329 Dt 14/2/19
Notifies certain addenda & corrigenda to the
rules published under Notn Gen. R. 7557 Dt 18/12/18.
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GEN. & REV. SECRETARIAT I REVENUE 28 AUG 1918

Draft Rules for relating to Constitution & election of Members of Local Boards.

To

Mr. S. P. Rajagopalachar, Offg on special duty for favour of Scrutiny before submission & 2nd Member.

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28-8-18

Typed copies of the draft Rules revised as per instructions of the Special Duty Officer is put up

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2.9.1918 3 I have had the draft rules revised in consultation with Mr Kesava Pillai. The revised draft is generally suitable & may be approved

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I think there is a few special cases worked out. Issue however only will determine whether it is or not. I do not think it necessary to make any reference to the Board at this stage

N. B.—Should routine notes be written on small slips, the notes must be copied or slips pasted on this form.

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The original file Mr. also put up with mem. Nos 1 & 2

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3 The rules relating to the Constitution and Election of members to Taluq and Dist Boards have been revised having in view the instructions given by the member from time to time recently. The main features of these rules are indicated below, and an Explanation has been furnished wherever it is was has been found necessary.

(i) The Electorate for the Taluq Boards is of 3 kinds as now proposed, viz:—

(1) Landholders.

(2) Select Panchayets, minimum being 3.

(3) Inamdars.

(ii) The representation to rulties on Taluq Boards have been considered unnecessary, this has been done away in the draft rules. The main a change from the existing practice As regards Panchayat representation the idea was to have given a chance to all the Panchayats in a Taluq to exercise the franchise, but since the Panchayat System has just been introduced and as in their present State certain practical difficulties are likely to arise in working a general scheme of this kind it has been resolved to have Select Panchayats Subject to a minimum ~~ter~~ of 3, for returning members to the Ly Bd by election.

(iii) As regards excluding Panchayats from exercising the franchise under other clauses of the

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rules, it is submitted that such a restriction is not necessary at present, in view of the fact that it is only select Panchayats that return members, and that even here it is only the Panchayatdars that elect the said representation thus depriving the mass of the population in Panchayat areas without of the right & vote & the Taluq Bd membership. The rule has therefore been retained unaltered.

(ii) The noticeable feature in these rules is the representation given to Inamdars or holders of entire alienated villages. Hitherto the Inamdars had no representation on the Taluq Bd, but seeing that there are an important class whose co-operation it is essential to secure, the election for the good administration of the local Boards, provision has been made for them. As to the qualifications of candidates and the manner in which the elections should be held etc, the Bombay procedure has been closely followed. These are some of the major changes

It was minor points requiring to be noted here in view of the uncertainty of the number of Panchayats to be given the representation being varying from 3 to 5 or 6 as the case may be, and in view also of the fact that Inamdars

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requirements of the Regulation and of the electors concerned. The next point is that every Distt Headquarter Municipality and every other Municipality in the Distts with a population of not less than 30000 has been given the privilege of returning a member to the Distt. Board. This is new. A provision for Muhammadan representation on this Board also has been made, but it is submitted that in working the election rules in this connection difficulties are likely to arise. The area of a Distt being a large one. For instance in Bangalore Distt. there are over 600 Muhammadan villages and to arrange for voting in these villages in such a large & scattered Electorate would be somewhat difficult & perhaps not proportionate to the importance of the principle involved. It is therefore submitted that this clause may be omitted from Distt Bd Constitution rules, a suitable nomination being made by Govt. for this class of persons on Distt Bd.

(11) One other point requires mention - viz. the provision regarding sections of inhabitants having representation separately. This had been inserted when the rules were first drafted recently but has never been enforced as the Municipality has observed that though this privilege is proper in the case of Mal. areas

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it would be unworkable in large areas such as Dist. Boards.

7. These are some of the main features in my notes. The rest relates to matters affecting the manner of election etc and does not call for any special remarks.

8. Submitted for orders with revised rules.

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2nd Member) 9 It may now be sent to the Secretariat much thought & consideration of all suggestions have been received in these drafts

10 It is in the table of [illegible] meeting — as [illegible] by Police [illegible] 11 I have [illegible] Rules to [illegible]

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13) May be discussed at a meeting of Council

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15) Circulate 28/9 14) Chief Secy, with Compts. 14/11/18

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Extract from the Proceedings of the 470th *Meeting of the Council of His Highness the Maharaja, held at Bangalore on the* 21st November *19*18.

9. Subject.- Clause ix of the Schedule.

Rules for constitution and election of members of Local Boards.

Opinion of the Council.

The rules may be approved. For nomination to Taluk ---- Boards the following interests should receive consideration.- Industries, Trade, Co-operative Societies. Executive orders should issue about this.

In the case of District Boards. Agriculture. Industry - and Trade should have a definite representation fixed in number either provided for in the rules or by executive orders.

Sd/- M.Visvesvaraya

Dewan of Mysore.

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Chief Secretary to Government.

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*23. As soon as circulation is complete and the opinion of the Council is recorded the file will be forwarded to the Secretary in the Department concerned or transmission if need be to the Financial Secretary under Standing Orders and or submission to the Dewan or Member in charge.

(b) up. Extract from the Proceedings of the Council is put

Forwarded with compliments to the Secretary to Government. Revenue Department under Rule 23 of the Subsidiary Rules of Council Business.

By Order,

W Balasundaram

Chief Secretary to Government.

23.11.18

Asst. Secy d.r. pr submission of a D.F.N. to 2nd member. His instructions may be taken re the suggestions contd in the Council Resolution.

23.11.18

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(a) Submitted the file in person to 2nd Member for instructions. Certain slight changes in the rules have been advised which is attended to upon putting up D.F.N.

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(b) Submitted with a D.F.N. The draft rules 1 & 2 have been revised with a view to give effect to the Council Resolution having regard to the personal instructions given by the member. Kind attention is invited to cl(f) rule 1 & (g) & (h) of rule 2 in the revised rules. No orders have been passed on the red ink notes on page (8) of the rules.

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2nd Member Please peruse the D. & rule given in lieu of the proposals newly embodied which should supersede

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	21) Revised Draft Final Note is submitted herewith. MK 1-12-18
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Second

Final Note by the ~~First~~ Member of Council.

Subject:—

25) Revised rules regarding the Constitution of Taluk and District Boards.

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26) The constitution of Local Boards under Section 5 of the Local Boards and Village Panchayet Regulation 6 of 1918 has necessitated the revision of the existing rules on the subject, owing to certain new conditions that have been brought into existance under the new Act, and having regard also to the fact that it has been found necessary to secure the due representation of all important interests in the local areas. The old rules, therefore, have been carefully considered and revised, after much thought, special attention being paid to the following important points:-

Firstly as regards Taluk Boards:

27 Under the old rules the electorates for the Taluk Boards consisted of only (1) Landholders and (2) Representatives of Municipal Councils and Municipal Boards. The constitution of Village Panchayets under the new Regulation on a statutory basis introduces an important element in the development of Local Self-Government. Therefore the system of electorate for the Taluk Board had to be thoroughly revised with a view to provide for the due representation of these bodies on the Board. Accordingly, the electorate for the Taluk Board has now been made to consist of (1) Landholders, (2) Selected Panchayets, and

and (3) Owners of whole Inam Villages, thus introducing two new elements and omitting the representation of Municipal Councils on the Taluk Boards, which is unnecessary in view of the fact that due provision has been made for the representation of important Municipal interests on the District Board. Though the representation of Village Panchayets on the Taluk Board is attended with some difficulty in regard to questions relating to the selection of Panchayets for exercising the privilege of returning a member or members, yet it is necessary to give them some recognition in their initial stages of development, and th details of their representation will be fixed with due regard to the importance of the Panchayet areas.

Hitherto the Inamdars have had no representation on the Taluk Boards; but, seeing that they are an important community whose co-operation it is essential to secure for the good administration of these Local Boards, provision has been made, giving representation to holders of entire alienated villages. Inamdars are given separate representation in the adjoining Presidency of Bombay, and our rule will only be in accordance therewith.

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Secondly, as regards the constitution of District Boards:- Under the old rules the electorate for the District Boards consisted only of the Taluk Boards each Board returning one member from among themselves. This does not provide for any direct election. Now since the proportion of the elected element on the District Board has been increased from half to two-thirds of the total strength, provision has been made for the due representation, by election, of (1) important Municipal Councils, and (2) holders of whole Inam villages as in the case of Taluk Boards, and (3) representation of recognised associations such as Planting, Industrial,

Commercial,

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Submitted to His Highness.

I submit herewith a Final Note by the Secona Member of Council on the subject of revised rules regarding the constitution of Taluk and District Boards,

for His Highness' gracious approval.

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Note re R/559 & B.C. in the 10th Dec 1918.

Put up for the Rules framing the Constitution of Local Boards under Sec 3 (2) of the Act

37) The following errors and omissions occur in the Rules.

Rule 1	The word 'or' in line 2 should be 'and'.
Rule 3.	The word 'board' should be added after the word 'district' at the end of line 2 to Proviso (1).
Rule 4.	The word 'Municipalities' in line 6 has to be omitted
Rules 10	
I (11) (i)	The word 'elected' in line 5 should be delected.
II (12)	The word 'the' to be inserted before the word 'Village' in line 1.
IV (14)	The word 'District' should be substituted for 'Taluk' in line 2.

Draft Rules is Subd.

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38) Issue as proposed by Secretary
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5	Notn No 10377 dt 14.2.19 Notifies certain addenda & corrigenda to the Rules published with Notn dt [illegible]
	Published ~~in Part II~~ in Pt III of the Mysore Gazette dt 20.2.1919.
	Memo No 10377-84 dt 14.2.1919 Forwards copies to the Dy Comrs &c

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DRAFT RULES FOR CONSTITUTION AND ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF LOCAL BOARDS.

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Revised in accordance with the Opinion of the Council.

NOTIFICATION.

Under Section 37 (a) of the Mysore Local Boards and Village Panchayats -- Regulation, 1918 and in supersession of the existing rules on the subject, the Government are pleased to make the following rules:-

Constitution of Taluk Board.

Every Taluk Board shall ordinarily consist of such number of elected and nominated, inclusive of Ex-Officio, members as may be determined by Govt. The strength of a Board shall not exceed 20.

~~(iii)~~ The Ex-Officio members of a Taluk Board shall consist of all or -- any of the following:-

(a) The Assistant Commissioner in revenue charge of the Taluk.

(b) The Amildar of the Taluk;

(c) The Medical Officer in charge of the Dispensary at the Taluk head-quarters;

(d) The Senior Officer of the -- Taluk of the Public Works Department;

(e) The Sub-Registrar.

Note:- This includes the Taluk Sheristedar, Sub-Registrar, where there is -- no special Sub-Registrar.

(f) The Inspecting Officer of -- Schools for the Taluk.

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represented and which it may be desirable to represent on the Board. In making his recommendation the Deputy Commissioner should pay special attention to see that the interests of industries, trade and Co-operative ---- Societies are ~~duly~~ adequately represented on the Board.

Constitution of District Board.

2. Every District Board shall consist of such number of elected and - nominated, inclusive of ex-officio, - members as detailed hereunder. The - strength of a District Board shall -- not exceed 45.

Ex-Officio Members.

(a) The Deputy Commr. of the Distt.

(b) All Asstt. Commr's in revenue charge of Taluks in the Distt.

(c) The Chief or Senior Officer -- for the Distt. in each of the Departments of Medical Relief, Sanitation, Engineering and Education (Inspection of Schools.)

Other Members.

(d) One or more non-official representatives as may be determined -- by Govt. for each of the Taluks in - the District elected as hereinafter prescribed by the members of the Tk. Boards from among the non-official members of their own body, or in -- default of election appointed by -- Govt. -

Govt. on the recommendation of the -- Dy. Commissioner.

(e) One member for the Municipal - Council at the District Head-quarters and one for every Municipality within the District containing not less than seven thousand inhabitants or getting annually a normal income of not less than Rs.6,000/- elected by the Municipal Councillors from among the non-official Councillors in the manner -- herein after set forth, provided that the maximum representation shall not exceed four, or, in default of election appointed by Govt. on the recommendation of the Dy. Commissioner.

(f) One member elected in manner hereinafter set forth by the holders of entire alienated villages, if any, within the District from amongst their own number or in default of election appointed by Govt. on the recommendation of the Dy.Commr., or, if there - is but one such holder in the Distt. such holder himself, or, any person - whom he nominates as his representative.

(g) One member for each of the - recognised associations in the Distt if any, representing Agricultural, -- Planting, Industrial, Commercial, Educational, Legal and other interests -- as may be given the franchise by the Govt. on the recommendation of the -- Dy.Commr. of the Distt., or, in default ---

ALTERNATIVE

(g) One or more members for representing Agricultural, - Planting, Industrial and --- Commercial interests to be - selected in such manner as - may be determined by Govt. in the case of each Distt.Board.

default of election appointed by -- Government on the recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner for the representation of these interests.

(h) The remainder to be appointed by Government on the recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner and drawn as far as possible from interests or communities in the District not already sufficiently represented and which it may be desirable to represent on the Board.

( ) To be omitted if -- alternative (g) is approved.

In making his recommendation the Deputy Commissioner should see that interests of any not represented under ---- Clause (g) receive due consideration

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Term of Office of members.

3. All members of a Local Board shall continue in office for a period of three -- years from the date ~~of~~ on which its constitution is notified by Government; unless the term is extended by Government, A general election shall take place once in three years for electing the representatives of the several constituencies.

(i) Provided that any member of a Taluk Bd or Municipal ~~Board~~ Cl deputed to be a member of a ~~Taluk or~~ District/Taluk Board, ~~as the case may be,~~ shall vacate such later office on his ceasing to be a member of the Taluk Bd or Municipal ~~Board~~ Cl.

Provided also that a Taluk Bd or Municipal ~~Board~~ Cl may, by a resolution duly recorded, appoint any other member to be a temporary substitute for its representative on the District ~~or Taluk~~ Board, ~~as the case may be,~~ to whom attendance at any ~~such~~ meeting of such Board may be inconvenient.

(ii) Any outgoing member of a Local Board shall, if otherwise qualified, be eligible for re-election or re-appointment.

President of Taluk Board to intimate before 60 days months when the term expires

4. Not less than 4 months before the expiry of the term of office of the members of a Taluk Board, the President of the Board shall send intimation of the same to the Deputy Commissioner who shall forthwith fix a date for the election of members of the groups of villages ~~Municipalities~~ and Village Panchayats concerned. The date so fixed shall be not later than one month prior to the expiry of the term of ~~a member~~ the member

5. Resignation of Office.

(1) Any person appointed or elected as a member of a Local Board may tender his resignation, and, on acceptance of such resignation by Government, shall be deemed to have vacated his office

Vacation of office by Government servant on transfer or under other circumstances.

(2) Any person holding a salaried office under Government, who is member of a Local Board, shall, on being permanently transferred from the local area over which ~~that~~ Such the Board has authority or on quitting such local area with the intention of remaining absent ~~th~~ therefrom for more than three months or on his resignation, suspension, removal or retirement from his office under Governmen be deemed to have vacated his office of membe of such Board.

Removal of Member of a Local Board.

6. The Government may by notification remove any member of a Local Board other than an ex-officio member (i) if he is absent for more than six consecutive months from the Local area over which such Board has authority, or refuses to act or becomes in-

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incapable of acting, or is declared insolvent or is convicted of any such offence, or subjected by a criminal court to any such ord as implies in the opinion of Government a defect of character ~~with~~ which unfits him to be member of a Local Board;

(ii) if he, without sufficient excuse in the opinion of Government neglects to be present at more than 3 consecutive meetings of the local board;

(iii) if his continuance in office is, in the opinion of Government, dangerous to the public peace or order or likely to bring the administration of the local board into contempt;

(iv) On the occurrence of any other circumstance which, if it had existed prior to the commencement of his term of office, would have disqualified him for election or appointment.

2. The Government may prescribe a period during which any person so removed shall not be eligible for reappointment or re-election.

Filling of casual vacancies

7. In the event of a member of a Local Board dying or vacating his seat or being removed from office before the expiration of the period for which he was appointed or elected, a successor shall, unless Government otherwise directs, be appointed or elected according as a person dying, vacating his seat or removed from office, was appointed or elected and shall hold office for the residue of the term of the member whom he

whom he succeeds.

Term of Office of Member appointed or elected to fill up a vacancy caused by increasing the number of members.

8. In the event of a vacancy occuring increasing the number of members in any cal board, such ~~xxxxxxxx~~ vacancy shall be filled up as soon as conveniently may be by the election or appointment as the case may be of a person ~~xxxxxxx~~ thereto who shall hold office ~~xx~~ till the next general election or for such period as Government may in this behalf notify in the Gazette.

Notification of elections and appointments.

9. The election or appointment of every member of a local Board shall be notified in the Mysore Gazette.

Election procedure. 10. The following rules shall be observed in electing members to local boards.

I. ~~Rules regulating~~ elections to Taluk Board by holders, proprietors of land etc.,

Disqualifications for voters

(1). The following persons are disqualified to be registered as voters:-

(i) Persons of unsound mind or deaf-mutes ..

(ii) Persons who have been convicted of any offence or subjected by a criminal court to any order implying a defect of character which in the opinion of the Deputy Commissioner of the District unfits them to be voters.

(iii) Persons who are not subjects of Mysore or of any other State in India or British subjects.

(2.) No person shall be qualified to vote unless such person

(i) is of the male sex and,

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a person

(iii) that he, if claiming qualification under clause (iv) or (v) has been resident in the electoral group since the begining of the calender year previous to that to which the electoral roll applies.

Qualifications of candidates

5. Any person not disqualified under rule 6 below may stand as a candidate for election as a member of the Taluk Board if at the time of the nomination

(a) his name is entered in the current electoral roll of any of the circles into which the Taluk Board area is divided and (b) he is resident within the revenue taluk (inclusive of any municipal area within it) in which the group is situated.

Disqualifications for candidates

6. A person is disqualified for election as a member of a taluk board if he

(a) is illiterate, of unsound mind, a leper or a deaf-mute or

(b) has been a public servant as defined in section 21 of the Indian Penal Code, or a servant of a Municipal Council or Local Board and has been dismissed from such service for misconduct; or

(c) is a salaried Government Official other than a village headman or is an executive Officer, clerk or servant of such Board; or

(d) has directly or indirectly any share or interest in any contract or employment with such Board; or

(e)

(e) is an uncertificat bankrupt or undischarged insolvent, or

(f) has been convicted of any offence or subjected by a criminal court to any order implying a defect of character which in the opinion of the Government unfits him to be a member of a Taluk Board; or

(g) is employed in the service of a member of a taluk board or has a servant who is a member of the taluk board; or

(h) is not a subject of Mysore or of any other state in India, or a British subject.

Division of a Taluk, into groups of villages.

7.(1) For purposes of election of a member of a taluk board referred to in clause (g) of rule 1 each taluk shall be divided into 4 groups of villages, each group to return its own member.

(2) The grouping of villages shall be carried out by the Deputy Commissioner with regard to community of interest in such matters as roads, ferries, dispensaries, schools and the like; and as far as possible it shall be so arranged that the amount of land assessment (including the survey valuation of alienated villages) and local cess paid by each of the various groups shall be approximately be the same.

Preparation of the lists of voters.

8. Three months before each general election, lists of persons in each taluk qualified to vote shall be prepared according to groups by the Amildar under the orders of the

any ~~omission~~ erroneous entry or supply the omission or insert therein the name of ~~the~~ any applicant who satisfies him of his right to have it so entered.

Procedure for elections of Taluk Board members. (Taluk-group elections)

(11) (I) Not less than one month before the date fixed by the Deputy Commissioner for any election, the Amildar shall send to each person qualified to vote a written notice setting forth the time and place of election. The place selected shall, as far as possible, be some place conveniently situated with reference to the group of villages concerned.

(II) All persons wishing to vote must be present at the election, and no votes by proxy or in writing shall be received.

(III) On the appointed day the Assistant Commissioner in revenue charge of the Taluk, or the Amildar or some other officer deputed by the Deputy Commissioner to preside at the election, shall record the votes of the electors appearing in person.

(IV) All objections to voters shall, if possible, be summarily decided by the presiding officer after

after reference to the list of Voters.

(V) No objection to any intending voter shall be admitted except on the following two grounds:-

First- that he is not shown in the electoral register as qualified to vote in the group in respect of which the election is being held.

Second- that his claim to be a certain voter shown on the electoral register is false.

(VI) Every candidate must be nominated by at least two persons whose names are included in the current electoral register ~~as qualified to vote~~ and ~~must declare his readiness to stand.~~ The nomination paper must bear an endorsement signed by the nominee signifying his willingness to serve, if he should be elected, and be delivered to the Amildar at least 10 days before the date fixed for election.

(VII) The same voter shall not nominate more than one candidate for a circle.

(VIII) The presiding officer, if satisfied that no less than 10% of the voters for the group are present, shall declare the candidate having a clear majority of votes to be duly elected. If there be an equality of votes, the choice shall be determined by lot in such manner as the presiding officer shall deem fit. If the number of voters present be less than 10%, the Deputy Commissioner may order that the election be held again, or may decide that the electors have failed to elect a member.

If any candidate duly elected declines to take office, the unsuccessful candidate if any who received the next largest number of votes shall be held to have been elected. If there is no such unsuccessful candidate a fresh election shall be held to fill the vacancy thus created.

(X) The results of all elections shall, as soon as possible, be reported to the Deputy Commissioner.

(XI) Any election may, with the approval of Government, be set aside by the Deputy Commissioner on the ground of fraud, intimidation, or, that the person elected is likely to bring the Local Fund Administration into contempt or that his being a member as a Taluk Board is dangerous to public peace or order, and in such a case a fresh election shall be held.

Local Board employees not to canvass for votes.

(XII) No person in the employment or pay of a Local Board, shall directly or indirectly engage in canvassing for votes, or otherwise assist in the election of any candidate, otherwise than by giving his own vote, if he is entitled to one. Any breach of this rule will render him liable to dismissal.

II. Rule for election of taluk board members by village Panchayats.

(12) A special meeting shall be held by the Village Panchayat on the date fixed by the Deputy Commissioner under rule 4 above. The members present at the meeting shall elect one member from among themselves and report immediately the name of the member so elected to the President of the Taluk Board for communication to the Deputy Commissioner.

Rules for the election of Inamdar members.

(13) The following persons shall be entitled to vote or qualified to be elected. Subject to Rule 10 I (1) (2).

(i) If one and the same person or one and the same co-parcenary holds two or more entire villages within the local area for which a member has to be elected, such person or the representative of such co-parcenary shall have but one vote.

(ii) The person recorded in the revenue records as the holder of an alienated village shall be the person entitled to vote and qualified to be elected in respect of that holding whether such person be the actual Inamdar or a mortgagee in possession or in the case of villages held for the support of religious or charitable institutions the Manager.

(iii) If an alienated village is entered in the revenue record as held jointly or in shares by two or more persons or indefinitely as being held by a co-parcenary, the Deputy Commissioner shall select from among the persons whose names are so recorded or, amongst the co-sharers, as the case may be, one person who shall be the person entitled to vote and be qualified to be elected in respect of such holding. Before making such selection the Dy. Commissioner --

Commissioner shall take such means as -- he shall think fit for ascertaining the wishes of the persons whose names are -- recorded as aforesaid or, of the co-sharers as the case may be. If a majority of not less than 3/5ths the persons or co-sharers whose wishes are known to the Deputy Commissioner are in favour -- of one person or co-sharers, that person or co-sharer shall be selected by the -- Deputy Commissioner; otherwise, he shall himself make choice of such person or -- co-sharer as shall appear to him, by reason of education, intelligence or -- local report and influence fittest to -- represent the holders of the alienated village in question. The Deputy Commissioner's approval or nomination, as the case may be shall be final.

2. The date of election shall be -- fixed by the Deputy Commissioner.

3. Not later than one month before the date fixed for election the Deputy Commissioner shall get a list of persons qualified to be elected prepared.

4. The Deputy Commissioner shall, not less than 10 days before the date fixed for the election cause a list of the -- persons qualified to be elected to be -- left at the usual residence of each of -- the persons entitled to vote at such -- elections, together with a notice inviting the last named persons, before the date fixed for the election to make each a - --

a written return to him of the name of any one of the persons mentioned in -- the said list for whom they wish to - vote.

5. On the date fixed for election or, as soon as may be thereafter, the -- Deputy Commissioner shall inspect all returns duly made as aforesaid, and -- shall record in writing under his signature the result of the election.

6. If at an election no votes are recorded or, if for any reason the election does not result in the return of - any qualified person willing to take -- office, the Government shall with the - recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner appoint some person who would -- have been qualified to be elected.

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The members present at the meeting shall elect one member from among themselves ~~in any manner they deem in such manner as is suitable to them~~, and report immediately the name of the member so elected to the President of the Taluk Board. or Communication to the DC Cor

IV. Election by Municipal Councils. ~~to Taluk Boards.~~

14) A Municipal Council shall observe the following rules for the election of their representative on the ~~Taluk~~ X board.

(i) The election shall be held on such date as the Deputy Commissioner shall fix in this behalf.

(ii) A special general meeting of the Municipal Councillors shall be called for the date so fixed, in the manner and by the authority prescribed in the Municipal law, or rules for convening of such meetings, for the purpose of holding the said election.

(iii) The meeting shall be held in the place in which the Councillors usually meet for the transaction of business, and the election shall be held in the same manner in which any proposition or business legally brought before a special general meeting of the Municipal Council is usually considered and voted upon by the Council and the names of the Councillors voting respectively for and against each candidate shall be recorded in the Municipal Councils' minute book.

(iv) The result of the election shall be declared by the President of the meeting and shall be communicated by him without delay

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in writing, under his signature to the Deputy Commissioner for being published in the Mysore Gazette.

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~~IV.~~ Election by Taluk Boards to District Boards.

(15) Within one month of the publication of the names of members of a Taluk Board in the Mysore Gazette, the President of the Board shall call for a meeting of the Board on a specified date to elect their representatives on the District Board.

(ii) Such election shall not be held unless the President and at least one half of the elected members and half the total number of members of the Board are present at the meeting.

(iii) Any member who desires or is willing to be elected must be proposed by one and seconded by another member other than himself present at such meeting, and the votes of the members present at the said meeting upon every such proposal shall be taken by the President.

(iv) The election shall be decided by a majority of votes of the members present at the meeting, the President having a second or casting vote in every case of an equality of votes.

(v) The results of the election shall be declared by the President at the meeting and shall be communicated by him without delay in writing to the Deputy Commissioner for being published in the Mysore Gazette.

(vi) The President shall also forward to the

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to the Deputy Commissioner under his signature minutes of the ~~President~~ proceedings of the meeting, in which shall be recorded:—

(a) The names of the members present;

(b) the names of the proposer and the seconder of ~~which~~ each proposal and of the number proposed;

(c) The names of the members voting respectively, for and against each proposal.

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in writing under his signature to the Deputy Commissioner for being published in the Mysore Gazette.

Payment of allowances to members.

11. (1) No member of a Local Board shall be entitled to any salary or allowance by virtue of his office; but every local board may grant travelling allowance for its non-official members at the following rates. It should be understood that the rates fixed in each case include the cost of any servants accompanying the member.

District Board.

Annas 4 per mile by road.

Double 2nd Class fare by rail.

Taluk Board.

Annas 3 per mile, by road.

Double 2nd Class fare by rail.

a) No travelling allowance is admissible to any member who does not travel more than 5 miles from or to his place of residence nor can batta or halting allowance be paid in addition to travelling allowance. Nevertheless a non official member of a district or taluk board is required to stay for more than a day for the meeting of the Board may be given a daily allowance of Re.1/-

(b) For journeys undertaken by a member for the purpose of inspection or check measurement of works or other specific duty travelling allowances may be paid at the rates allowed for attending the

the Board Meetings, subject to the conditions-

(i) that the journeys are undertaken on the written requisition of the President of the Local Board concerned, and,

(ii) that the claim for travelling allowance is in each case admitted under the orders of the President of the District Board.

(c) A non-official Vice-President or a District Board will receive travelling allowance at rates admissible to an Assistant Commissioner.

(d) A non-official President or Vice-President of a Taluk Board will receive travelling allowance at rates admissible to an Amildar.

(2) The rates of allowances to official members will be regulated by the Mysore Service Regulation, when and charged to the heads of service to which they belong.

Attendance Register.

12. An attendance register should be maintained in the offices of Local Boards in form appended. A separate page should be set a part in this for each meeting and every member attending it should be required to sign it before leaving the meeting. The President of the meeting should record

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in words under his signature, the total number of members/present at the meeting. Presidents when countersigning travelling allowance bills of members, should satisfy themselves either by a reference to the register or by the certificate of the Vice-President that the bill has been checked with the register, that the members concerned actually attended the meeting and that the amount of travelling allowance has not been passed for payment already. The register should be initialled by the President or the Vice-President as the case may be.

Attendance register of members of the - - - - - - - - - - - Taluk/District Board.

Date of meeting.	Signature in full of members attending.	Amount of Travelling allowance. Rs. As. Ps.	Date on which passed by the President.	Initials of the President.	Date of payment	Remarks.
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(ii) Rule 4. the word 'Municipality' in line 6 shall be omitted

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By Order,
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